To the Commission:

As regards NASA's shared use of 432-438 MHz on a 'line of sight' and non-interference basis with the Amateur Radio Service, I have no problems with that. NASA has always allowed amateur radio operators to rebroadcast its signals, to communicate with its astronaut corps, and to work cooperatively on any number of technical issues related to its activities. The allocation simply furthers an already important working relationship between radio amateurs and NASA. I would only hope the Commission would allow, in the future, for radio amateurs and NASA to exchange communications on these frequencies when it was in NASA's interests to do so.

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